

RESOLUTION NO. 17-15

A RESOLUTION PETITIONING THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ASHLAND COUNTY, OHIO, FOR A CHANGE OF TOWNSHIP LINES IN ORDER TO MAKE THEM IDENTICAL WITH THE LIMITS OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Whereas, the corporate limits of the City of Ashland do not comprise the whole of the township in which it is situated; and

Whereas, by changes of the corporate limits of the City of Ashland in past years, the City of Ashland now includes territory lying in more than one township; and

Whereas, by the provisions of Revised Code Section 503.07, this Council may petition the Board of County Commissioners of Ashland County for a change of township lines in order to make them identical with the corporate limits of the City of Ashland; and

Whereas, in order to cause such change of lines to be made at the earliest possible time, in order to ensure the continued effective and efficient administration of the City of Ashland and such adjoining townships and in order to prevent the circumstance whereby the taxpayers within such changed areas could be required to pay taxes to both entities, this Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Ashland, State of Ohio, 5 members thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the Board of Commissioners of Ashland County, Ohio, be, and it is hereby, pursuant to the provisions of Revised Code Section 503.07, petitioned for a change of township lines of townships adjoining the City of Ashland, in order to make them identical with the limits of the City of Ashland, relating to all annexations and detachments, since the last such petition to said Board, filed 10/05/2006, for which such change of lines has not been made.

Section 2. That the Clerk of Council be, and she is hereby directed to send a certified copy of this Resolution and a certified copy of the minutes of this Council at which said Resolution was adopted to the Board of County Commissioners of Ashland County, Ohio.

Section 3. That in order to cause such change of lines to be made at the earliest possible time and in order to ensure the continued effective and efficient administration of

the City of Ashland and such adjoining townships, this Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety and welfare.

Section 4. That this Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage by Council and approval pursuant to Section 12 of the Charter of the City of Ashland, Ohio, and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: July 21, 2015

Stephen L. Stuart
Stephen L. Stuart, President of Council

Attest: Elizabeth A. McClurg
Elizabeth A. McClurg,
Interim Clerk of Council

Approved: Glen F. Stewart
Glen F. Stewart, Mayor

Approved as to form and correctness:

Richard P. Wolfe II
Richard P. Wolfe II, Director of Law

Date: July 21, 2015